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נתייסדה ע"י כ"ק מרן אדמו"ר הקוה"ט זי"ע

February 8, 2018

To: Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission Office of the Secretary 445 12th Street, SW Washington, DC 20554

Subject: Appeal of USAC Funding Decision - Docket 02-6 Request for Review

From: Bais Ruchel D'Satmar BEN # 16044499 info@centraluta.com 718-797-7888

We would like to appeal the decision by USAC to deny funding for FRNs 1699109418, 1699109422, 1699109429, 1699109434, 1699109441, 1699109448 and 1699109451 of form 471 # 161048133. We would also like to appeal FRN1699133264.

These FRNs were originally denied on 12/12/2016 among other FRNs for the following reasons:

DR1: Applicant has not provided sufficient documentation needed to determine the eligibility of the following item(s): Vendor Documentation.;DR2: This FRN is denied because the funding request is duplicative of a current year's FRN. Program rules prohibit USAC from funding the same products and services to the same location in the same funding year.;DR3: Applicant has not provided sufficient documentation needed to determine the eligibility of the entity(ies) to be receiving service in this funding request.

We appealed that decision with USAC and USAC approved some of the FRNs, however the above mentioned FRNs were denied on appeal. The reason given was "Your appeal has brought forward persuasive information that the appealed decisions should be partially overturned. However, USAC will be unable to provide funding for your request for the following reason(s): The record shows that this FRN was denied because the funding request is duplicative of a current year's FRN. Program rules prohibit USAC from funding the same products and services to the same location in the same funding year. You

did not demonstrate during the appeal process that USAC erred in its initial decision. Consequently, USAC denies your appeal."

We are appealing this decision to the FCC because on our appeal to USAC we clearly demonstrated that none of the FRNs are duplicates. (After we sent our appeal to USAC, we did not receive any further requests from USAC.) We included a spreadsheet and included vendor proposals that clearly demonstrated that there are no duplicates in any of the FRNs. Specifically, FRNs 1699109418, 1699109434 and 1699109448 which are all for high-speed dedicated internet access, are each providing service for a separate location. It provided services to these three locations: Entities 16035574, 16044493 and 16044496. It also not a duplicate to FRN 1699109460 which is providing Point-to-point services (Transport only, not internet access) among these locations: 16044496, 16035574, 16044499, and 16044493. FRNs 1699109429, 1699109441, 1699109451 and 1699133264 which are all providing SIP services are each providing services to different locations. FRN 1699109429 is providing service to entity 16035574, FRN 1699109441 is providing service to entity 16044493 (this is not a duplicate to FRN 1699109444, which is providing 8 POT lines to this location, as these services are needed in addition these POT lines), FRN 1699109451 is providing service to entity 16044499 and FRN 1699109451 is providing service to entities 16066699, 16059581 and 16063447. FRN 1699109422 is also not a duplicate as it is proving PRI service to entity 16035574, which is needed in addition to the sip lines.

Thanks for your consideration.

Thank you

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נתייסדה ע"י כ"ק מרן אדמו"ר הקוה"ט זי"ע

January 4, 2017

To: Letter of Appeal Schools and Libraries Division - Correspondence Unit 30 Lanidex Plaza West - PO Box 685 Parsippany, NJ 07054-0685

From: Bais Ruchel D'Satmar BEN # 16044499 info@centraluta.com 718-797-7888

We would like to appeal the decision by USAC to deny funding for FRNs 1699109418, 1699109422, 1699109429, 1699109434, 1699109441, 1699109444, 1699109448, 1699109451, 1699109454 and 1699109460 of form 471 # 161048133. We would also like to appeal FRNs 1699133203, 1699133264 and 1699133282.

On the FCDL dated December 12/12/2016 it states: DR1:Applicant has not provided sufficient documentation needed to determine the eligibility of the following item(s): Vendor Documentation.;DR2: This FRN is denied because the funding request is duplicative of a current year's FRN. Program rules prohibit USAC from funding the same products and services to the same location in the same funding year.;DR3: Applicant has not provided sufficient documentation needed to determine the eligibility of the entity(ies) to be receiving service in this funding request.

We are appealing this decision as we weren't aware of receiving any requests from USAC. We were not knowledgeable with the new EPC we also problems accessing our email <a href="mailto:info@centraluta.com">info@centraluta.com</a>.

However based on all USAC comments please see the attached to spreadsheets as well as vendor documentations and documents to validate all our sites.

Thank you

Berish Ekstein

Office Manager

FRN	<u>471</u> Number	FCDL Comment for FRN and School Response
1699109418	161048133	DR1: Applicant has not provided sufficient documentation needed to determine the eligibility of the following item(s): Vendor Documentation.;DR2:This FRN is denied
·		because the funding request is duplicative of a current year's FRN. Program rules prohibit USAC from funding the same products and services to the same location in the same funding year.;DR3:Applicant has not provided sufficient documentation
		needed to determine the eligibility of the entity(ies) to be receiving service in this funding request.
1699109418	161048133	Vendor proposal included.  This FRN is not a duplicate of a current year's FRN. Please see attached spreadsheet that describes all services and which location it is for.
		This FRN is entity 16035574, which is the main admin site.
1699109422	161048133	DR1: Applicant has not provided sufficient documentation needed to determine the eligibility of the following item: Vendor Documentation.;DR2:This FRN is denied because the funding request is duplicative of a current year's FRN. Program rules prohibit USAC from funding the same products and services to the same location in the same funding year.;DR3:Applicant has not provided sufficient documentation needed to determine the eligibility of the entity(ies) to be receiving service in this funding request.
1699109422	161048133	Vendor proposal included. This FRN is not a duplicate of a current year's FRN. Please see attached spreadsheet that describes all services and which location it is for. This FRN is entity 16035574, which is the main admin site.
1699109429	161048133	DR1: This FRN is denied because the funding request is duplicative of a current year's FRN. Program rules prohibit USAC from funding the same products and services to the same location in the same funding year.;DR2:Applicant has not provided sufficient documentation needed to determine the eligibility of the entity(ies) to be receiving service in this funding request.
1699109429	161048133	Vendor proposal included. This FRN is not a duplicate of a current year's FRN. Please see attached spreadsheet that describes all services and which location it is for. This FRN is entity 16035574, which is the main admin site.
1699109434	161048133	DR1: Applicant has not provided sufficient documentation needed to determine the eligibility of the following item: Vendor documentation.;DR2: This FRN is denied because the funding request is duplicative of a current year's FRN. Program rules prohibit USAC from funding the same products and services to the same location in the same funding year.;DR3: Applicant has not provided sufficient documentation needed to determine the eligibility of the entity(ies) to be receiving service in this funding request.
1699109434	161048133	Vendor proposal included. This FRN is not a duplicate of a current year's FRN. Please see attached spreadsheet that describes all services and which location it is for. This FRN is for entity 16044493 which has NYS LEA Code of 800000060031. Please

<del>_</del>	~	see the attached print out from the NYS web site confirming this site.
1699109441	161048133	DR1: This FRN is denied because the funding request is duplicative of a current year's FRN. Program rules prohibit USAC from funding the same products and services to
		FRN. Program rules promibit USAC from funding the same products and services to
		the same location in the same funding year.;DR2:Applicant has not provided
		sufficient documentation needed to determine the eligibility of the entity(ies) to be
		receiving service in this funding request.  This FRN is not a duplicate of a current year's FRN. Please see attached spreadsheet
169910 <del>9</del> 441	161048133	that describes all services and which location it is for.
		This FRN is for entity 16044493 which has NYS LEA Code of 800000060031. Please
		see the attached print out from the NYS web site confirming this site.
	164040422	DR1: This FRN is denied because the funding request is duplicative of a current year's
1699109444	161048133	FRN. Program rules prohibit USAC from funding the same products and services to
		the same location in the same funding year.;DR2:Applicant has not provided
		sufficient documentation needed to determine the eligibility of the entity(ies) to be
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		receiving service in this funding request.  This FRN is not a duplicate of a current year's FRN. Please see attached spreadsheet
1699109444	161048133	that describes all services and which location it is for.
		This FRN is for entity 16044493 which has NYS LEA Code of 80000060031. Please
		see the attached print out from the NYS web site confirming this site.
	<u> </u>	DR1: Applicant has not provided sufficient documentation needed to determine the
1699109448	161048133	eligibility of the following item(s): Vendor Documentation.;DR2:Applicant has not
		provided sufficient documentation needed to determine the eligibility of the
		entity(ies) to be receiving service in this funding request.;DR3:Applicant has not
		provided sufficient documentation needed to determine the eligibility of the
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		entity(ies) to be receiving service in this funding request.
1699109448	161048133	Vendor proposal included. This FRN is not a duplicate of a current year's FRN. Please see attached spreadsheet
		that describes all services and which location it is for.
	·	This FRN is for entity 16044496 which has NYS LEA Code of 80000060028. Please
		see the attached print out from the NYS web site confirming this site.
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4.500100451	161048133	DR1: This FRN is denied because the funding request is duplicative of a current year's
1699109451	101040133	FRN. Program rules prohibit USAC from funding the same products and services to
		the same location in the same funding year.;DR2:Applicant has not provided
		sufficient documentation needed to determine the eligibility of the entity(ies) to be
		receiving service in this funding request.
1699109451	161048133	t par plant at a secretaria de properties de la compansión de la compansió
1099109431	1010-0155	that describes all services and which location it is for.
		This FRN is for entity 16044499 which has NYS LEA Code of 800000060030. Please
		see the attached print out from the NYS web site confirming this site.
1699109454	161048133	DR1: This FRN is denied because the funding request is duplicative of a current year's
エクシンエクンサンユ	101040100	FRN. Program rules prohibit USAC from funding the same products and services to
ı		the same location in the same funding year.;DR2:Applicant has not provided
		sufficient documentation needed to determine the eligibility of the entity(ies) to be
		receiving service in this funding request.
1699109454	161048133	t may be a second about that
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		describes all services and which location it is for.  This FRN is for entity 16044496 which has NYS LEA Code of 800000060028. Please see the attached print out from the NYS web site confirming this site.
1699109460	161048133	DR1:This FRN is denied because the funding request is duplicative of a current year's FRN. Program rules prohibit USAC from funding the same products and services to the same location in the same funding year.;DR2:Applicant has not provided sufficient documentation needed to determine the eligibility of the entity(ies) to be receiving service in this funding request.
1699109460	161048133	This FRN is not a duplicate of a current year's FRN. Please see attached spreadsheet that describes all services and which location it is for.  This FRN is for entities 16044496, 16035574, 16044499, 16044493 which are eligible as mentioned above.
1699133203	161057280	DR1:This FRN is denied because the funding request is duplicative of a current year's FRN. Program rules prohibit USAC from funding the same products and services to the same location in the same funding year.;DR2:Applicant has not provided sufficient documentation needed to determine the eligibility of the entity(ies) to be receiving service in this funding request.
1699133203	161048133	This FRN is not a duplicate of a current year's FRN. Please see attached spreadsheet that describes all services and which location it is for.  This FRN is for entities 16066699, 16059581, 16063447 which are all listed in the NYS E-Multi-Site Data base. Please see attached.
1699133227	161057280	DR1:Applicant has not provided sufficient documentation needed to determine the eligibility of the following items: documentation to show that FRN 1699133227 and FRN 1699109448 are not duplicate.;DR2:This FRN is denied because the funding request is duplicative of a current year's FRN. Program rules prohibit USAC from funding the same products and services to the same location in the same funding year.;DR3:Applicant has not provided sufficient documentation needed to determine the eligibility of the entity(ies) to be receiving service in this funding request.
1699133227	161057280	We are not appealing this FRN.
1699133245	161057280	DR1:Applicant has not provided sufficient documentation needed to determine the eligibility of the entity(ies) to be receiving service in this funding request.;DR2:This FRN is denied because the funding request is duplicative of a current year's FRN. Program rules prohibit USAC from funding the same products and services to the same location in the same funding year.;MR1:The Monthly Recurring Unit Cost for FRN Line Item 1699133245.001 was modified from \$900.00 to \$45.00 to agree with the applicant documentation.;MR2:The Lines for FRN Line Item 1699133245.001 was modified from 1 to 20 to agree with the applicant documentation.
1699133245	161057280	We are not appealing this FRN.
1699133264	161057280	DR1:This FRN is denied because the funding request is duplicative of a current year's FRN. Program rules prohibit USAC from funding the same products and services to the same location in the same funding year.;DR2:Applicant has not provided sufficient documentation needed to determine the eligibility of the entity(ies) to be receiving service in this funding request.;MR1:The Monthly Recurring Unit Cost for FRN Line Item 1699133264.001 was modified from \$2025.00 to \$45.00 to agree with the applicant documentation.;MR2:The Lines for FRN Line Item 1699133264.001 was

1699133282	161057280	This FRN is not a duplicate of a current year's FRN. Please see attached spreadsheet that describes all services and which location it is for.  This FRN is for entities 16035574, 16063449 which are admin. sites.  Please see the correct vendor proposal.  Please also note that 10 of the phone lines on this FRN were for entity 16063449, which we would like to cancel. The new Monthly Pre-Discount is \$275.00
1699133282	161057280	DR1:This FRN is denied because the funding request is duplicative of a current year's FRN. Program rules prohibit USAC from funding the same products and services to the same location in the same funding year.;DR2:Applicant has not provided sufficient documentation needed to determine the eligibility of the entity(ies) to be receiving service in this funding request.;MR1:The Monthly Recurring Unit Cost for FRN Line Item 1699133282.001 was modified from \$825.00 to \$55.00 to agree with the applicant documentation.;MR2:The Lines for FRN Line Item 1699133282.001 was modified from 1 to 15 to agree with the applicant documentation.
1699133264	161057280	modified from 1 to 45 to agree with the applicant documentation.  This FRN is not a duplicate of a current year's FRN. Please see attached spreadsheet that describes all services and which location it is for.  This FRN is for entities 16066699, 16059581, 16063447 which are all listed in the NYS E-Multi-Site Data base. Please see attached.  Please see the correct vendor proposal.

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SERVICE PROVIDER	SPIN # SERVICE DESCRIPTION	ENTITY RECEIVING SERVICE	AMOUNT	FRN	471
AAA Technology Solutions, Inc	143037482 Fiber Internet	16035574	\$2,500.00	\$2,500.00   1699109418   161048133	161048133
AAA Technology Solutions, Inc	143037482 1 PRI	16035574	\$1,100.00	\$1,100.00 1699109422 161048133	161048133
AAA Technology Solutions, Inc	143037482 20 SIP Lines	16035574	\$900.00	\$900.00 1699109429 161048133	161048133
AAA Technology Solutions, Inc.	143037482 Fiber Internet	16044493	\$2,500.00	\$2,500.00 1699109434 161048133	161048133
AAA Technology Solutions, Inc	143037482 40 Sip Lines	16044493	\$1,800.00	\$1,800.00 1699109441 161048133	161048133
AAA Technology Solutions, Inc.	143037482 8 Local & L.D. Lines	16044493	\$440.00	\$440.00   1699109444   161048133	161048133
AAA Technology Solutions, Inc.	143037482 Fiber 100/100	16044496	\$3,500.00	\$3,500.00   1699109448   161048133	161048133
AAA Technology Solutions, Inc.	143037482 40 Sip Lines	16044499	\$1,800.00	\$1,800.00 1699109451 161048133	161048133
AAA Technology Solutions, Inc	143037482 22 Local & L.D. Lines	16044496	\$1,210.00	\$1,210.00 1699109454 161048133	161048133
AAA Technology Solutions, Inc.	143037482 3 Fiber Point To Point	16044496, 16035574, 16044499, 16044493	\$7,500.00	1699109460 161048133	161048133
AAA Technology Solutions, Inc	143037482 3 Ethernet 20/20	16066699, 16059581, 16063447	\$3,525.00	\$3,525.00 1699133203 161057280	161057280
AAA Technology Solutions, Inc	143037482 Fiber Internet	16063449	\$2,500.00	\$2,500.00 1699133227 161057280	161057280
AAA Technology Solutions, Inc.	143037482 20 Sip Lines	16063449	\$900.00	\$900.00 1699133245 161057280	161057280
AAA Technology Solutions, Inc	143037482 45 Sip Lines	16066699, 16059581, 16063447	\$2,025.00	1699133264 161057280	161057280
AAA Technology Solutions, Inc	143037482 15 Local & L.D. Lines	16035574, 16063449	\$825.00	\$825.00 1699133282 161057280	161057280